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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.56 and in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.97 et seq., Applicants, through and by his or her attorneys, hereby wish to direct the Examiner's attention to the documents listed on the attached modified PTO Form 1449 and the copies of those documents presented herewith for the Examiner's review and convenience.

Applicants also wish to bring the following commonly-assigned pending patent application to the attention of the Examiner:

U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/464,418 filed November 10, 1997,
by Douglas B. Cole et al. for "Wet Wipes Containing a Monoalkyl Phosphate."

U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/538,711 filed March 30, 2000,
by Frederick A. Buck et al. for "Wet Wipe Container with Flexible Orifice."

U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/751,329 filed December 29, 2000, by
Scott R. Lange et al. for "Composite Material with Cloth-Like Feel."

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U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/813,536 filed January 24, 2001,
by John D. Amundson et al. for "Storage and Dispensing Package for Wipes."

U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/870,785 filed May 31, 2001, by Yung H. Huang et al.
for "Flexible Orifice for Wet Wipes Dispenser."

U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/870,814 filed May 31, 2001, by Yung H. Huang et al.
for "Flexible Orifice for Wet Wipes Dispenser."

U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/870,815 filed May 31, 2001, by Yung H. Huang et al.
for "Process for Joining Wet Wipes Together and Product Made Thereby."

U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/871,020 filed May 31, 2001, by Yung H. Huang et al.
for "Stack of Fan Folded Material and Combinations Thereof."

The applications are not listed on the accompanying PTO Form 1449; however, copies of the applications are provided herewith.

By inclusion of any given document in this Information Disclosure Statement, Applicants in no way admit that such document is effective as prior art against the above-identified application under either 35 U.S.C. 102 or 35 U.S.C. 103.

Additionally, submission of any document is not to be taken as an admission of the materiality of the document to the prosecution of the present application.

The Examiner is requested to review each cited document and personally determine its prior art status.

Applicants recommend that the Examiner conduct an independent search for any and all available material prior art and independently review the results of such search and the documents cited within this Statement.

Applicants request the Examiner, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.97, to indicate and make of record receipt and review of all of these documents by initialing the appropriate box in the accompanying PTO-1449. Applicants request that the undersigned receive a copy of the initialed PTO-1449.

If the Examiner refuses to consider any or all of the herein submitted materials because it is the Examiner's opinion that this Information Disclosure Statement is not in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.97,

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner notify the undersigned, in writing, as to the basis of such opinion.

Please charge any prosecutorial fees which are due to Kimberly-Clark Worldwide, Inc. deposit account number 11-0875.

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